

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An information display apparatus includes
a display device configured to display a video,
a speech detection unit configured to detect a playback
5 state of a playback speech, a closed caption display
unit configured to generate character information
associated with the playback speech and display it on
the display device together with the video, and
a closed caption display unit configured to carry out
10 a changing control for changing according to the
detected playback state a display state of the
character information that is displayed on the display
device by the closed caption display unit.